

REMARKS

Applicants have amended the specification at pages 3 and 4 in conformity with the Examiner's suggestions. Applicants also have amended the specification at page 1 to correct additionally noted typographical and grammatical errors.

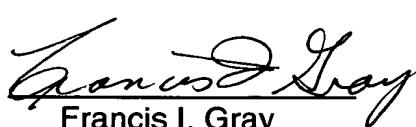
The Examiner objected to the drawing, Figs. 3, 4A and 4B indicating that the horizontal and vertical lines should be labeled. The Examiner feels that one of ordinary skill in the art would not be able to tell what these drawings represent unless the horizontal and vertical axes are labeled because these are not reading from an oscilloscope screen but illustrate a sample output. Applicants respectfully submit that one of ordinary skill in the art would recognize that waveforms are being displayed in these Figures, and that waveforms are represented as amplitude versus time. The significance of these Figures is the illustration of the portions of the waveforms represented by the respective gates (Fig. 3) and of the gated portions being shown together (Figs. 4A, 4B). Certainly one who reads the specification in conjunction with these Figures would readily know what these drawings represent (see page 3, lines 20-32). Thus Applicants submit that no labeling of the axes is required to enable one of ordinary skill in the art to understand what these Figures represent.

In view of the foregoing amendment and remarks, issuance of this case as amended is urged.

Respectfully submitted,

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